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Mahmoud

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For: METHOD FOR EXPANSIVE NETBOOT

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

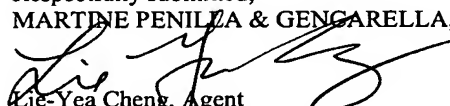
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	SMALL ENTITY RATE FEE	OR	LARGE RATE FEE	ENTITY
TOTAL CLAIMS	20 -	20	00	X25 = \$	OR	X50 = \$	
INDEP CLAIMS	03 -	03	00	X100 = \$	OR	X200 = \$	
[] Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid				\$180		X360	\$
			TOTAL	\$		\$	



Applicant(s) hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. ADAPP234B).



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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Final Office Action mailed on September 6, 2006. The shortened statutory period for reply extends to December 6, 2006. This Amendment is being filed within two months of the final Office Action and Applicants claim all benefits from this early response. Please enter the following remarks in the above-identified patent application:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.